## TOWN OF ISLIP DEC SPECIFICATIONS FOR SOLID WASTE COLLECTION

All garbage must be to curb before 6:00a.m. on collection date. Use one curbside location only. All pails used must meet 40 gallon regulations.

**DEFINITIONS: INS** 

**INSTRUCTIONS:** 

Kitchen Garbage Any food or non-recyclable food packaging- place in pails, bags or

boxes under 50 lbs. each - Limit 6 per collection.

Trash/Household

Wood, flooring, tiles, wallboard, carpeting, etc. (Excluding metal materials, see below). All must be securely tied in bundles under 4'x2'x2' and 50lbs. or neatly placed in pails under 50lbs. All glass must be placed in pails or boxes clearly marked **BROKEN GLASS**. Paint cans must be dried out and placed in double plastic bags. **Limit 6 trash/household** 

waste items per collection.

Yard Waste

NO GRASS CLIPPINGS WILL BE COLLECTED. Yard waste consists of: branches, shrubs, leaves, etc. Yard waste must be contained or securely tied. All pails, bags and bundles can not exceed 4'x2'x2' and 50lbs. Limit 6 yard waste items per collection.

**SPECIAL NOTE:** There are three special yard waste collection periods in the spring, fall and winter. Prior to these periods, detailed notices with a collection schedule will be mailed to each resident.

**Bulk Waste** 

Furniture, tables, cabinets, bookshelves, passenger car tires without rims, etc. Wood such as paneling, shed sections and stockade fencing must be cut under 4'x4' and should not exceed 50lbs. Tree Stumps must be free of dirt and under 4'x2'x2' and 50lbs. Limit 3 bulk waste items per week on last collection day of the week. NO metal is included within this collection.

Bulk Metal/ All Metals <u>Bulk Metal</u> includes appliances (refrigerator-doors must be removed) bicycle, chain-link fencing (rolled and tied under 4' and 50lbs.), propane tank (valve and stem assembly must be removed), passenger car tires with rims, etc. All other metal items including aluminum siding, pipes, etc. must be pailed or bundled under 4'x2'x2' and no heavier than 50lbs.(Metal is automatically collected every Wednesday with a truck separate from the recyclable collection.) **Limit 3 items of Bulk Metal every Wednesday.** All other metals pailed or bundled: Limit 6 every Wednesday.

WRAP/ Recyclables

NO recyclables will be collected in plastic bags. Recyclables including paper, magazines, newspapers and corrugated cardboard will be collected one week. The next week, collection includes plastic containers marked 1 & 2, food cans, beverage cans & bottles, glass bottles and jars. All items must be placed in a container not exceeding 50lbs. Unlimited recyclables are collected every Wednesday (see your WRAP calendar for alternating schedule.)

## THERE WILL BE NO COLLECTION ON THE FOLLOWING HOLIDAYS: